Plague Infection.

21 *MR. S. CHATTANATHA KARAYALAR (*Shencotta*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether cases of plague infection have been reported recently from the Peermade hills; and

(*b*) whether the reported cases are cases of local infection or imported ones ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) No.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (*a*), this question does not arise.

Lady Doctor in the District Hospital, Thuckalay.

22. *MR. A. EASWARA PILLAI (*Kalkulam II*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether there were memorials and representations in the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly for the appointment of a qualified Lady Doctor in the Thuckalay Hospital; and

(*b*) if so, their decision on the representations ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The case of the District Hospital, Thuckalay, will be considered when more Lady Medical Officers are appointed in the department.

MR. A. EASWARA PILLAI (*Kalkulam II*): In view of the answer, can we hope to have a lady doctor in the near future?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): I have answered, Sir, that the question will be considered when more Lady Medical Officers are appointed in the Medical Department.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*). May I know from the member whether more appointments are made when the necessity is felt or when applications come up ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): When necessity is felt and when funds become available.

Admission of students in the College for Women.

23. *MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*) ; Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of students admitted last year (1933-34) to the Junior Intermediate and Junior B. A. Classes in the various groups in the College for Women, Trivandrum ;

(*b*) the number admitted to the various groups in the same classes this year (1934-35);

(*c*) the number of applicants for admission to the various groups this year (1934-35) ;

(*d*) whether the Director of Public Instruction has issued any confidential circular to the Principals of Colleges demanding restriction of admission ; and

(*e*) whether the Director of Public Instruction has any authority over matters not entirely administrative in Colleges affiliated to the Madras University ?

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MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*):

(*a*) *Junior B. A Class.*

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Junior Intermediate Class.

Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry	...	22
Natural Science, Physics, Chemistry	...	85
Do. Chemistry, Indian Music	...	11
Mathematics, Physics, Indian Music	...	...
Ancient History, Modern History, Indian Music	...	3
Ancient History, Modern History, Indian History.		13
Ancient History, Modern History, Logic	...	7
Do. Do. Sanskrit	...	3
Total	...	144

(*b*) *Junior B. A. Class.* 1934-35

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Junior Intermediate Class.

Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry	...	25
Natural Science, Physics, Chemistry	...	53
Do. Chemistry, Indian Music	...	7
Mathematics, Physics, Indian Music	...	4
Ancient History, Modern History, Indian Music	...	...
Ancient History, Modern History, Indian History		6
Do. Do. Logic	...	18
Do. Do. Sanskrit	...	3
Total	...	116

(*c*) *Junior B. A. Class.*

IV A. History & Economics	...	11

Junior Intermediate Class.

Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry	...	24
Natural Science, Physics, Chemistry	...	64
Natural Science, Chemistry, Indian Music	...	7
Mathematics, Physics, Indian Music	...	4
Ancient History, Modern History, &Indian Music	...	...
Ancient History, Modern History & Indian History		5
Ancient History, Modern History, Logic	...	11
Ancient History, Modern History, Sanskrit	...	2
Total	...	117

(*d*) No.

(*e*) Yes.

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